



RIDOT POLICY

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It is the policy of RIDOT to maintain safe working conditions, as free from hazard as is possible, and to comply with all applicable Federal and State safety regulations as well as Department safety policies.

RIDOT employees are responsible for accident prevention in their work location. The prevention of accidents, as well as preventing time lost from work because of accidents, is the primary responsibility of all those who supervise others in the performance of their work.

Providing safety equipment is not enough. Supervisors must be constantly alert to see that equipment is properly used, and that safe working practices are followed.

In addition, every employee has a responsibility to themselves, their fellow workers, and to RIDOT, to practice the safety standards that have been established in the mutual interest of the employee and the department. Everyone must understand and accept that safety is one of the most significant functions of their job.

Our policy objective is to establish the belief that our employees are our most important asset and that their safety must receive our prime support and participation.